

and in his way picked a sample of every different herb he thought might be eatable. Having made a fire, he boils a slice of his salt fish with some roots, and then the herbs he brought with him, which proved of divers tastes, and all excellent; some eating like artichokes, others like asparagus and spinach; and now, says he, what can I wish for more!

Thus thoroughly easy in his mind, he proposes to spend the afternoon at the outside of the rock, in viewing the sea, and looking for oysters; so takes in his hand his long staff to grabble in holes, and his breeches which he ties at the knees to bring them in. Being come to a place of the rock he had never been at before, he sees at a distance something like linen hanging upon it; which he found, by certain marks, was the main sail, of his ship, with a piece of the yard fastened to it: So ripping the sail in pieces, he rolls it up in such bundles as he could conveniently carry away, and lays them down till he had got a few oysters, proceeding to grope in holes with his stick as he went on.

About forty paces farther, he finds a chest in a clift, but going to lift it could not, therefore was obliged to fetch his hatchet and brake it open, from which he took a suit of

of clothes, and some linen, the was a roll of several sheets of quite clean, at the bottom of the runlet of brandy, a cheshire cheese bottle full of ink, with a parcel of a penknife.

So by degrees he takes home and what was in it; and now he begins to begin a journal, he is fell to work: Thus he begins from eight years old (as well as he can) he heard an old aunt of his say) of his being cast away, being th eight years of age, resolving to co his death.

Calling to mind his last dream, he warns him to make provision after, he begins to line his hut with turf, and lays the same a-top of the wet; then gathers a good fuel and roots. And as he now found small shell fish and oysters upon the rock, he makes a bridge over which in warm weather he uses that in winter he might go over d

The business of the day had his thoughts, that it filled his mind with suitable ideas. He thought end of his bridge, instead of